FISCAL NOTE

SB 986 - HB 1212

February 24, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires any question on a ballot to be preceded by a brief summary of the proposal written in a clear and coherent manner using words with common everyday meanings.

Present law requires a question on a ballot containing more than 300 words in length to be preceded by a brief summary.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumes no additional cost to provide summaries to all questions when they appear on the ballot.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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